Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Loren and Regina Heidenreich exchanged their wedding vows, promising to share their lives and love together for the rest of their days; and,

Whereas, Loren married Regina on September 18, 1947, and to that union two children were born, Barb and Denis, who further blessed their lives with three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; and,

Whereas, The newlywed couple of 70 years ago has been replaced by two devoted partners who have shared life's beauty and sorrow and have grown to love one another more because of their common journey; and,

Whereas, Before retiring, Loren, a World War II Veteran, was the 2nd generation farmer and volunteered his services to the church and community, while Regina worked by his side as his partner, helper, and also volunteered throughout the church and community; and,

Whereas, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Loren and Regina have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

Whereas, Loren and Regina will celebrate their 70th Anniversary with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants; and,

Whereas, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognizes and commemorates the memorable occasions in the lives of the state's outstanding citizens:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 18, 2017, as

LOREN AND REGINA HEIDENREICH DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighth Day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Teresa J. Gray, Deputy Secretary

Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State